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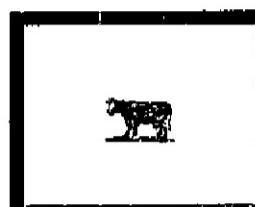
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MONDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 27.
we place on sale our entire line of Ladies'
Shirt Waists at 25 Per Cent. Less Price than
they can be bought for later in the season.

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| 15 doz. Stylish Waists at | 45c |
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MORTON BANQUETED.

The Retiring Vice-President Honored Without a Precedent

AND WITHOUT DISTINCTION OF PARTY.

As a Testimonial to the Admirable
Manner in Which He Has Presided
Over the United
States Senate.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Vice-President Levi P. Morton was honored last night as none of his predecessors have been. The entire senate, without distinction of party, united in tendering a complimentary dinner and in giving testimony to the admirable manner in which he presided over the deliberations of the upper chamber of congress for the past four years.

The banquet, which was held in the dining hall of the Arlington, was the best that skill and taste could supply, the decorations most effective and the company as distinguished as could well be, inasmuch as scarcely one senator of prominence was absent.

Other guests who participated in the proceedings were the secretaries of state, William M. Evarts, and L. W. Palmer, Gen. Alger, Mr. Frank Hatton, Mr. P. V. Degrav, Mr. H. L. West and Mr. H. C. Clarke.

Senator Mansfield, who is president pro tem of the senate, acted as toast master, and his ready wit and graceful repartee once more permitted the proceedings to flag.

The address to the Democratic People, Washington, Feb. 28.—The affiliated democratic leaders issued an address urging the democratic people to maintain perfect and extend the system of affiliated democratic societies whose recent service to the cause and tariff was so conspicuous.

The address says: It is unnecessary to remind conscientious reformers and straight democrats of the importance

of the policy of the right benefits of

the benefit of a few are still "in power"

and in full possession of monopolies

which have enriched them. They will

realistically any means of tariff

reform contemplated by the democratic party and the wishes of the majority will only be accomplished after

a long and laborious fight.

"Four years ago, I came through

the surfaces of citizens of this great

republic, to the high place the main

duty of which is to preside over the

legislative body recognized as the high

est in the world, of which you, the repre-

sentatives of forty-four sovereign

states forming one powerful nation,

and I bring to you the thanks of

the very limited ones and but little

knowledge of parliamentary law

for the lines of my life had been cast

in places where such knowledge is not

to be acquired. I felt the full force

of my shortcomings, but relied

with trusting confidence upon the

gentle forbearance that has

ever characterized the senate of

the United States. Experienced the chancery

that my trust had been misplaced,

but I acknowledge the compliment

as generously paid.

"I am greatly indebted, also, to the

efficient officers and employes of the

senate, in smoothing my way, have

been made to me in the most considerate

path by my unexplored and over many

a rugged road to the unknown."

"To the distinguished gentlemen who

will in a few days succeed me have

the cause for congratulation, and at the

end of his service will have like occa-

sion for satisfaction that the support

and countenance accorded to him by

his colleagues will be rewarded.

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WATCH SALE!

Take advantage of the LOW PRICES on Watches this week.

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The Finest Assortment
Of Spring Woolens
Ever Brought
To Decatur.

Spring Stock
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TUESDAY EVE., FEB. 28, 1893.

It is now pretty safe to say the World's Fair will not be open Sunday.

It is about time to inquire what has become of Springer's bill to change the method of choosing electors and forming the electoral college?

The Texas legislature has under consideration a bill to legalize a lottery. The reader should not forget that Texas gives over one hundred thousand Democratic plurality.

WILLIAM J. WHITFORD, of Cleveland, Ohio, congressman-elect, used to peddle chewing gum on the streets, and subsequently became wealthy in its manufacture. It is not stated what brand he manufactured now how he produced the foreign flavors with Ohio materials.

BORN THE LEADEN STAFFORD University and the Chicago University are claiming that President Harrison will be connected with it in the near future. It is not at all creditable to the President that he is in demand to fill positions where brains and good sense is the chief requirement.

Since the Supreme court of Kansas has decided that the Republican house is the legal body, the resolution passed by the Populars removing the capital from Topeka to Kanopolis will not count. The movement in this case is something akin to the movement of the trick male in a circus. The head seems to be on the wrong end.

It has been reported that Walker, through whom Gov. McKinley has been so badly wounded financially, carried for the benefit of McKinley a one hundred thousand dollar wavy-wire Tonkin policy which had but four more years to run, worth \$60,000 at the present time. The president of the company, however, destroys this pleasant little story by saying that his company has issued no such policy.

The Democrats are afraid to permit the ratification of the Hawaiian treaty under the present administration lest it might add something to the already brilliant foreign policy of President Harrison. What glory the Democrats can get out of a postponement of this treaty, which has practically been accomplished by Harrison and only needs the act of the senate to complete it, is a trifle hard to see. It may, however, fairly be taken as a sign that the Democrats expect to gain the next administration for glory on a mighty small track.

It is most remarkable, yet true, that the Democratic chicken, like a billy horse is attracting the most attention. Thus, at the present writing, is being demonstrated in a great degree among the Chicago Democracy in the contest for the mayoralty nomination. Two years ago Carter Harrison put the Democratic nomination for Mayor and became an independent candidate, thus defeating the regular nominee at the polls, and securing the election of a Republican. Great were the southronsque outpour upon Harrison for his success. He was pronounced dead and buried as the result of his rebellion. But in spite of all that he is still a Democrat, and again a candidate for the nomination for Mayor. The success he is having in the primaries shows that his kick two years ago has only popularized him, and will probably result in his nomination.

Mr. Wm. F. Hesing, who claims to have delivered to Cleveland and Toledo the vote that carried Illinois over to the Democrats last fall, and who is seeking the nomination for Mayor of Chicago, as a reward for his labors, and who had reason to expect that he would be accorded his wish is about to be trodden under the feet of the Harrison cohorts in a most inconsiderate and cruel manner. But Mr. Hesing will have to yield to the kickers, if recent reports are at all correct, and accept, as graciously as he can, the fact that the kickers are the popular people in the Democratic party at this date.

Cobden and McKinley. Chicago Inter-Ocean. It does not follow from the failure of a man to public life to manage his private affairs with profit that he is devoid of business ability. Richard Cobden, who was to the free traders of Great Britain what Gov. McKinley has been to the protectionists of the United States, was a man of remarkable business ability. Beginning with nothing at all, he placed himself in possession of an annual income estimated at \$40,000 before he reached his 30th year. But as soon as he went into parliamentary politics absorbed him so completely as to divert his attention from his manufacturing business, which fell into a state of decay. A sense of justice and gratitude led these Englishmen who had made millions during the period of remarkable, though but temporary prosperity that followed the adoption of his policy of free trade, to contribute and present him with the noble sum of \$40,000. It was upon the interest of the that he lived during the last 35 years of his life.

Gov. McKinley's business ability is not impeached by recent events. As Cobden gave all his time and mind to the advancement of what in his day was the English idea of political economy, so McKinley has given all his time and mind to the advancement of what was and what, as we believe, still is and ever will be the American idea. In each case this devotion to what appeared to be the public welfare led to shipwreck of a private fortune. In Cobden's case the British people insisted that no such sacrifice should cause his withdrawal from public life. In McKinley's case we believe that the American people will refuse to admit the retirement from the public service.

How's This. We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for the return of the following claimant to his home. His Catfish Case.

F. J. GARNER & CO., Toledo, O.

We have known F. J. GARNER & CO., Toledo, O., for the past 15 years, and believe him to be a honest, upright, and financially able to carry on any obligation made by their firm.

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Hall's Castor Oil is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and nervous system. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Special Attractions At Special Prices.

S. G. HATCH & BRO.,

141 East Main Street.

Household hints.

Test your bluing by adding some washing soda to it in solution of water. If it turns reddish it is Prussian blue, and to be avoided because it is a compound of iron, which becomes a stain by the use of soap and soda and powder for rust spots. Pure linseed oil, such as our grandmothers used, is very rare, but there other good bluing in the market which are not expensive.

To clean articles of paper-mache, wash them with a little lukewarm water and soap, and rub them vigorously with a piece of cloth.

One of the best household remedies for bruises, where the skin has not been broken, is arnica and sweet oil.

The silver mirror is sometimes an intolerable nuisance. It may be got rid of, however, by a thorough cleaning, painting cracked or worn parts with the corresponding varnish or common paint.

The creature is said to come from dampness in the cellar or around the building and is quite likely to be found in buildings heated by steam, where there is any moisture.

It is a great mistake to believe that it is the silver mirror which is the cause of the disease, however beloved but pure, clear glass does not contain as much danger as the thick, watery ice.—N. Y. Tribune.

The Question
"Vat for father?"
"Vat for? Why off your peanies
gas had who you have to make over
Your property to?"—Life.

—Colorable—"Are any of the colors
describable to the touch?" asked a
school teacher. "I have often felt
a school," replied the boy at the head of
class.

It covers a good deal of ground
—Dr. Piero's Golden Medical Discovery. And when you hear that it cures so many diseases, perhaps you think "it's too good to be true." But it's only reasonable.

The disease is known to medical science. The disease that it cures comes from the toad liver, or from impure blood. For everything of this nature, it is the only guaranteed remedy. In Dyspepsia, Biliousness, all Bronchial, Throat and Lung affections; every form of Scrofula, even Consumption (or Lung-tuberculosis) in its earlier stages and in the most stubborn, Skin and Scalp Diseases—if it ever fails to benefit or cure, you have your money back.

The worst cases of Chronic Catarrh in the Head, yield to Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. So certain is it that its makers offer \$500 reward for an incurable case.

Burgess, Burgess, Burgess. When you want a Buggy, Survey or when you come and look through our stock. We have some of the best buggies made and our prices are the lowest. —Sage & Lamm Co.

Mrs. FLORA KIRK STEPHENS of Ottawa, N. M., as a notary public, recently administered the oaths of office to her husband, William H. Stevenson, who had been elected Justice of the peace.

For instance, Mrs. Chas. Bogren, of Bay City, Mich., accidentally spilled cold water over her little boy, while bathing him. Dr. Wm. H. Stevenson, Bay City, Supt. of Schools, instantly relieved. It's a wonderfully good save for burns, bruises, sores, and a sure cure for piles. W. H. Stevenson.

Mrs. ANNIE of Lincoln, Ill., has offered 100 acres of land and a cottage to be used as a home for orphans under the direction of the W. C. T. U.

Nosferatu as distressing as a hawking. Nothing so foolish as to suffer from it. Nothing so dangerous if allowed to continue. Call Dr. Wm. H. Stevenson, 102 W. Main Street, Decatur, Ill. It's a wonderful good save for burns, bruises, sores, and a sure cure for piles.

W. H. Stevenson, Iron Pump, Iron Pump, Iron Pump, for sale at Specer's Drug Store.

Send correct address to Mrs. Flora A. Stephens, 102 W. Main Street, Decatur, Ill. The luxury of a swimming pool in your home will greatly assist you. Blush of roses, Jones where no blossom, 25 cents per bottle.

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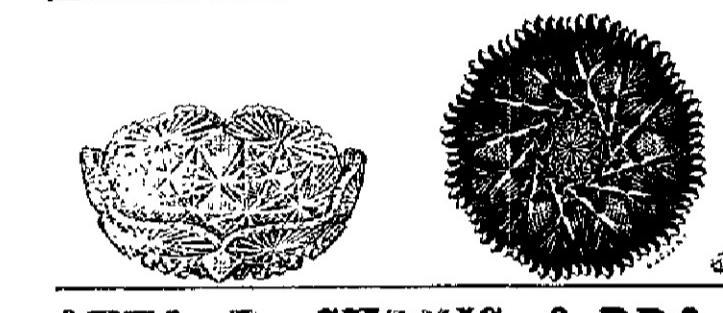


Our third annual SPECIAL SALE OF GLASSWARE will open Monday morning, February 27th.

In this sale we will offer our ENTIRE LINE OF CUT GLASS, as well as the less expensive lines of thin and heavy Tumblers, Pitchers, Sugars and Creamers, Rose Bowls, Cake Stands, Sherets, Ovals, Sugar Sifters, Vinegar Crusts, Water Bottles, Salts, Syrup Jugs, Butter Dishes, Wine Sets, Water Sets, Whisky Sets, Lemonade Sets, Lawn Tennis Sets, and everything in glassware you ever heard of.

This sale, like all our special sales, will have such merit as regards prices and variety, that you will miss the opportunity of another year if you do not secure some of the bargains we shall offer.

All goods in this sale will be shown on first floor.



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Jewelers and Dealers in Fine China.

A TERRIBLE SLAUGHTER
In Prices This Week, at
JOHN FINN'S.

Fancy Japan Rice, per pound..... 5c
New Ham... 3c per lb., 8 lbs. for 25c
Fancy Broken Java Coffee, per lb..... 20c
Good Baking Powder in one lb. cans..... 10c
6 lbs Fresh Rolled Oats for..... 25c
Choice Locomotes, per dozen..... 50c
Sweet Chocolate, sold everywhere at 100 per cake, our price..... 25c
Premium Chocolate, regular price 25c per cake, our price 25c
3 lb. California Damson Plums, per can..... 15c
3 lb. California Table Peaches, per can..... 17c
3 lb. California Apricots, per can..... 17c
3 lb. Bartlett Pears, per can..... 15c
3 lb. Asparagus, worth 35c per can, our price..... 20c
Our stock of Canned Goods and Dried Fruits is one of the most complete in the city.

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A duty which you owe to yourself and to your family, to get the best value for your money. Not everything which is advertised as cheap is in fact cheap. The real truth is that some things which have a low first cost are in the long run very expensive. And this is especially true in Shoes. Therefore follow true economy in footwear by buying shoes of Walter Hutchins. His shoes are the best values offered in Decatur, as thousands here can bear witness. Do you wear Hutchin's Shoes? If not, why not? Better begin now.

WALTER HUTCHIN,
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-OUR SYRUP OF-

Tar and Wild Cherry

IS THE BEST REMEDY ON THE MARKET FOR COUGHS,
COLD, ETC.

KING & WOOD, Druggists.

TUESDAY EVE, FEB. 28, 1883.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce JOHN M. MILLER has been elected a delegate to the action of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce J. C. HANE is a candidate for Justice of the Peace, subject to the election of the Republicans township convention.

We are authorized to announce JAMES M. MILLER is a candidate for County Clerk, subject to the action of the Republicans to the action of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE W. MILLER is a candidate for County Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce HENRY W. MILLER is a candidate for Justice of the Peace, subject to the action of the Republicans to the action of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce WALTER L. MILLER is a candidate for County Clerk, subject to the action of the Republicans to the action of the Republican convention.

TERMS OF INTEREST.

Everything Goes—

Salad bowls, berry bowls, nut bowls, bon-bon dishes, olive dishes, cheese plates, water bottles, water pitchers, cream pitchers, small bowls, all go in our new catalog.

E. D. Bakhotomow.

Dam & Son, tailors.

Fancy oysters at Singleton's.

Read Andean's ad—first page.

Read art wall paper at Conklin & House's.

The Paragon Oil Co. Telephone 417

Fancy stripes in wall paper at Conklin & House's.

Smoke the Little Rose and Bouquet cigar. They are beauties.

Buy the super Helper Steel Range at Boehm Bros. & Martin Co. 28-29-30

The Grand Opera House singers, made by Koch & Weigand, are the best in town.

Mar-26-27

Prof. Vaughn gives one of his most instructive lectures at the W. C. T. U. ball to-night.

The best of California fruits on sale at May & Choromann's grocery store in the Syndicate Block. Make selections.

Family Kitchen will supply you with the best of groceries and fruits. Store at 767 North Water street.

Crossman on the street: "I wonder who will get my girl to-night in the matches Prof. Vaughn will make."

The place to secure bargains in musical instruments is at the G. D. Prescott parlor on North Water street. Learn how prices.

You ladies, remember that the young man at Prof. Vaughn's lecture to-night who will make the best husband will be picked out.

Overs in cans and bulk to-day. All kinds of dried poultry and fresh fish. Pearl Oyster & Fish Co., 243 North Main street. Telephone 314.

Enter into the Syndicate block and see May & Choromann, the grocers, in their new location. They have one of the prettiest stores in the city. April-26-27

The public installation of offices of Daosar Division, No. 38, Union Bank, Knights of Pythias, will be witnessed at Guard's Armory to-morrow night.

Jesus Henry H. Goldemberg, Baltimore, Md., says: "Give me pleasure to recommend Salvation Out to any one suffering from a mortal or other pains."

Miss Lottie Collier is in the city and will positively appear at the Grand to-night in the song and dance which has made her name famous throughout the land.

C. H. Turner, on behalf of the aeromobile, thanked the public for the patronage extended the Star Concert venture, and promised a more liberal line of attractions for the next season.

Contract accepted.

The contract of J. A. Oehres to take possession of the county poor farm and almshouse, as steward, for one year, has been accepted, and to-morrow Stewart Cochran will succeed Mr. Magee, who will move to Decatur. Mr. Cochran will be allowed \$2.50 a week to be paid for the services of one assistant in the house work.

Stewart Cochran will receive \$800, and the use of all the horses and farm animals.

Dr. Robert, his contract as county physician, has also been accepted. His salary is \$500. He is to visit the poor farm and county jail at least once each week, and is to answer all calls for extraneous services.

Mr. L. A. Ochs is a member of Dunham Post No. 41, G. A. R.

Death of Dr. Henry Wheatland.

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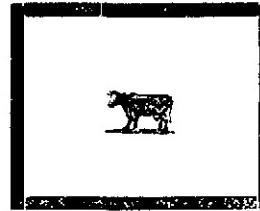
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The Retiring Vice-President Honored Without a Precedent

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As a Testimonial to the Admirable
Manner in Which He Has Presided
Over the United States Senate.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Vice-President Levi P. Morton was honored last night as none of his predecessors have been. The entire senate, without distinction of party, united in tendering a complimentary dinner and in giving testimony to the admirable manner in which he has presided over the deliberations of the upper chamber of congress for the past four years.

The banquet, which was held in the beautiful dining room of the Arlington, was the best and most substantial ever given in the dining rooms of the old capitol. The decorations, most elaborate and the company as distinguished as could be, was inasmuch as scarcely one senator of prominence was absent. Among the other guests who participated in the proceedings were ex-Senators William M. Evarts and L. W. Palmer, Gen. Alger, Mr. Frank Hatton, Mr. P. V. Degravé, Mr. H. L. West and Mr. H. C. Clarke.

Senator Manderson, who is president pro tempore of the senate, acted as toast master, and his ready wit and graceful repartee never once permitted the proceedings to flag.

Messrs. Hale, Cockrell, Evarts, Vilas and other orators were fully equal to the occasion. The guest of the evening, the vice-president responded as follows: "There are events in the life of every man which are not without some prominence, and make strong appeal to him; but an indelible impression remains while memory holds its seat. This occasion, so differing to me the speeches so complimentary, your greeting and the hearty good will expressed in such plowing form shall 'ever live within the book and volume of my brain unmixed with baser matter.'

The address says it is unnecessary to remind conscientious reformers and straight democrats of the imperative necessity of this form of organization, and adds that the rich beneficiaries of the policy of taxing the many for the benefit of a few, are still "in power" and in full possession of monopolies which have enriched them. They will resist stubbornly any means of tariff reform contemplated by the democratic party and the wishes of the majority will only be accomplished after a fierce struggle.

A Bill to Reduce the Interest Upon the Public Debt.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Mr. Johnson, of Ohio, introduced into the house yesterday a bill to reduce the interest upon the public debt, to provide for a flexible currency and to stop the purchase of silver. It proposes a series of interconvertible bonds bearing interest of 3½ per cent, payable in 1907. There is a provision for the issue of unmatured bonds or interest-bearing obligations. The interconvertible bonds when surrendered are to be paid in treasury notes of the character of those now issued under the Sherman act, which act is repealed.

The Agricultural Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—The agricultural bill was reported to the senate yesterday morning with a report in favor of \$28,900. An amendment by the house that bill carried \$20,400, the estimate being \$31,500. The items of increase are: Forestry investigation and experiments, \$3,000; agricultural experimental stations, \$15,000; irrigation investigations, \$6,000.

Representative Tarnay Very Sick.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Representative Tarnay, who has been ill for several days, is still very sick, but his physician does not regard him as being in a dangerous condition.

FIFTY-SECOND CONGRESS.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—The pension appropriation bill was passed by the senate to day with only one amendment. It appropriates for army pensions \$10,000,000 and about \$1,500,000 in addition to \$10,000,000 and about \$1,500,000 in addition to pensions agencies and some small items. The bill was referred to the committee of the pension appropriation and granted as his opinion that it would be necessary to appropriate \$200,000,000 for pensions next session. The bill was referred to the senate to be considered by the committee which took place that night. A bill reduction could be effected except through a repeal or modification of some of the laws of the subject and that there was no probability of doing either.

Senator Colton made his appearance in the senate chamber for the first time this session, and with the other members of the delegation on their way to the podium. The delegation had been invited to the podium by the chairman of the committee which took place that night.

"I am greatly beholden, also, to the efficient officers and employees of the senate, who smoothing my way, have been the guides along a parliamentary path by me unexplored and over many a rugged road to me unknown."

"The distinguished gentlemen who will in a few days succeed me have cause for congratulation and at the end of his service will have like occasion for satisfaction that the support of the pension appropriation and grant as his opinion that it would be necessary to appropriate \$200,000,000 for pensions next session. The bill was referred to the senate to be considered by the committee which took place that night. A bill reduction could be effected except through a repeal or modification of some of the laws of the subject and that there was no probability of doing either."

Mr. Morton closed by a graceful allusion to the retiring president, of whom he said:

"In a few days there will pass to private life, the man who won distinction as a soldier in the period of war and lasting renown as a civilian in time of peace. A patriotic citizen, a safe counsellor, a thorough statesman, he will be ruler, the name of Benjamin Harrison will shine brighter with the light that comes with every passing year."

His remarks were received with every demonstration of cordial approval.

Ex-Senator Evans touchingly referred to President Harrison's domestic afflictions, and then proposed his health. He followed the toast with a speech, which was well received.

Senator Hale followed with the most humorous speech of the evening, and Mr. Cockrell, of Missouri, made a historical reference to the twenty-two vice-presidents who have heretofore filled the chair, of whom Mr. Morton is the sole survivor.

Mr. Dixwood paid an eloquent tribute to the late Senator of New York, stating that it was not now possible "to find another man who was as much a statesman as he was."

It was a state that was a hundred years back when its undeveloped agricultural resources invited the immigration of the adventurous sons of northern Europe and New England.

Mr. Vilas spoke for "The North," Mr. Butler for "The South," Mr. Howard for "The East" and Mr. Culver for "The West," and "Business Men in politics."

The proceedings were protracted to a very late hour, and were marked by the utmost harmony and good feeling.

On the Home Stretch.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Both houses did a good day's work yesterday and took a long step in the direction of winding up the business so as to lessen

the friends of the measure burst into hearty applause.

Jas. G. Blaine, Jr., in Pennsylvania.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Feb. 28.—James G. Blaine, Jr., arrived in Pittsburgh yesterday. He was met at the Union station by Mr. Graham, of Elizabeth, Pa., and after eating breakfast, the gentle man took passage on the Pittsburgh Lake Erie train for Elizabeth. Mr. Blaine declined to state the object of his visit up the Monongahela valley. It is reported, however, that his presence has reference to the contemplated sale of the large tract of coal land which belongs to the Blaine family. On his return to Pittsburgh Mr. Blaine will continue his journey to Chicago.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Many of the Knights of Labor at Briveille last Saturday, at which eighty out of a total membership of 1,300 in the district were present. They resolved to turn the convicts loose if the militia is removed, otherwise to keep quiet. The sailors will remain at Coal Creek and hold indefinitely, unless released by special act of the legislature.

Many of the wild rumors sent out from time to time are inspired by those who are interested in keeping a standing army in the mining regions.

Distinguished Arrival.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Among the passengers who arrived here yesterday morning on the L. & G. steamer from Havre were several World's fair commissioners. They included Dr. Emil Hassler, Swiss commissioner; Signor Del Nero, Italian commissioner; Arnold Weissberger, Austrian commissioner; M. Mozart, French commissioner and Alfred Hauser, Austrian commissioner.

The Marquis de Forges, Judge E. Low, Mrs. Low and Mrs. Mervord Conkling, were among the passengers.

To Reduce the Price of Coal.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—A special to the Evening Post from Philadelphia says:

An officer of the Reading Coal and Iron Co. stated yesterday afternoon that the various anthracite companies would make a reduction in the price of coal from 25 to 50 cents, on or about April 1.

To Save Doctor Bills.

From Chicago Daily Call.

Many a doctor's bill has been saved by the use of Chatterton's Cough Remedy.

This is a home remedy in many parts of the country. Commercial medicines have an extensive sale in the World's Fair and many people testify to the merits of their different remedies. For sale by W. F. Neale, Library Block.

Worth Briley is in the city, having returned from Chicago Sunday morning.

Briley is in great results: Dr.

Worth's Little Early Riser, Best pills

for Consumption, best for SICK HEADACHE

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grit. W. F. Neale.

Worth Briley will spend the summer in

Europe and will be accompanied by her

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Twin wind from the north blows sharp

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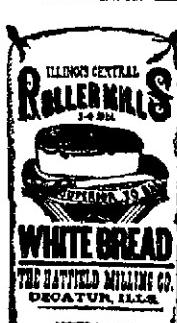
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TUESDAY EVE., FEB. 28, 1893.

It is now pretty safe to say the World's Fair will not be open Sunday.

It is about time to inquire what has become of Springer's bill to change the method of choosing electors and forming the electoral college?

The Texas legislature has under consideration a bill to legalize a lynching. The reader should not forget that Texas gives over one hundred thousand Democratic plurality.

WILLIAM J. WHITE, of Cleveland, O., congressman-elect, used to peddle chewing gum on the streets, and subsequently became wealthy in its manufacture. It is not stated what brand he manufactured now, but he produced the foreign flavor with Ohio materials.

Born at Leeland Stanford University and the Chicago University are claiming that President Harrison will be connected with it in the near future. It is not at all creditable to the President that he is in demand to fill positions where brains and good sense is the chief requirement.

Since the Supreme court of Kansas had decided that the Republican house is the legal body, the resolution passed by the Populists removing the capital from Topeka to Kansas City will not count. The movement in this case is something akin to the movement of the trick mule in a circus. The head seems to be on the wrong end.

It has been reported that Walker, through whom Gov. McKinley has been so badly worsted financially, carried for the benefit of McKinley a one hundred thousand dollar twenty-year Tontine policy which has but four more years to run, worth \$60,000 at the present time. The president of the company, however, destroys this pleasant little story by saying that his company has issued no such policy.

The Democrats are afraid to permit the ratification of the Hawaiian treaty under the present administration lest it might add something to the already brilliant foreign policy of President Harrison. What glory the Democrats can get out of a postponement of this treaty, which has practically been accomplished by Harrison and only needs the act of the senate to complete it, is a trifle hard to see. It may, however, fairly be taken as a sign that the Democrats expect to run the next administration for glory on a mighty small track.

It is most remarkable, yet true, that the Democratic kicker, like a hulky horse is attracting the most attention. Thus, at the present writing, is being demonstrated in a great degree among the Chicago Democracy in the contest for the majority nomination. Two years ago Carter Harrison became the Democratic nomination for Mayor and became an independent candidate, thus defeating the regular nominee at the polls, and securing the election of a Republican. Great were the anathemas poured out upon Harrison for his course. He was pronounced dead and buried as the result of his rebellion. But in spite of all that he is still a Democrat, and again a candidate for the nomination for Mayor. The success he is having in the primaries show that his kick two years ago has only popularized him, and will probably result in his nomination. Mr. "Wash" Hising, who claims to have delivered to Cleveland and Alameda the vote that carried Illinois over to the Democrats last fall, and who is asking the nomination for Mayor of Chicago, as a reward for his labors, and who had reason to expect that he would be accorded his wish, is about to be trodden under the feet of the Harrison cohorts in a most inconsiderate and cruel manner. But Mr. Hising will have to yield to the kickers, if recent reports are at all correct, and accept, as graciously as he can, the fact that the kickers are the popular people in the Democratic party at this date.

Cobden and McKinley. Chicago Inter-Ocean. It does not follow from the failure of a man in public life to manage his private affairs with profit that he is devoid of business ability. Richard Cobden, who was to the free traders of Great Britain what Gov. McKinley has been to the protectionists of the United States, was a man of remarkable business ability. Beginning with nothing at all, he placed himself in possession of an annual income estimated at \$40,000 before he had reached his 20th year. But as soon as he went into parliament politics absorbed him so completely as to divert his attention from his manufacturing business, which fell into a state of decay. A sense of justice and gratitude led these Englishmen who had made millions during the period of remarkable, though but temporary prosperity that followed the adoption of his policy of free trade to contribute and present him with the noble sum of \$400,000. It was upon the interest of this that he lived during the last 25 years of his life.

Gov. McKinley's business ability is not impeached by recent events. As Cobden gave all his time and mind to the advancement of what in his day was the English idea of political economy, so McKinley has given all his time and mind to the advancement of what was, and what, as we believe, is still and ever will be the American idea. In each case this devotion to what appeared to be the public welfare led to shipwreck of a private fortune. In Cobden's case the British people insisted that no such disaster should cause his withdrawal from public life. In McKinley's case we believe that the American people will refuse to admit his retirement from the public service.

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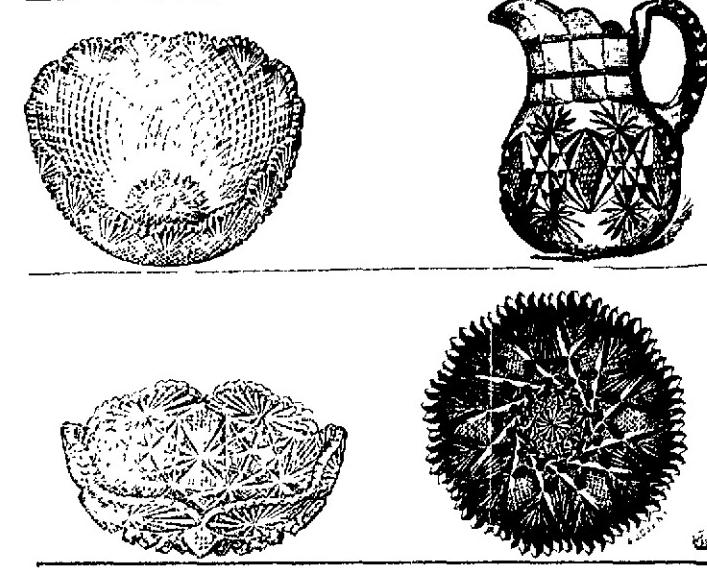


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This sale, like all our special sales, will have such merit as regards prices and variety, that you will miss the opportunity of another year if you do not secure some of the bargains we shall offer.

All goods in this sale will be shown on first floor.



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Good Baking Powder in one lb. cans,..... 10c
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Choice Lemons, per dozen,..... 15c
Sweet Chocolates, sold everywhere at 100 per cake, our price,..... 50
Practim Chocolate, regular price 25c per cake, our price 20c
3 lb. California Damson Plums, per can,..... 15c
1 lb. California Table Peaches, per can,..... 17c
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We are authorized to announce JOSEPH M. KELLEY as a candidate for Constable, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce ORGEL WILSON as a candidate for Constable, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce G. W. FERGUSON, ("Bob") as a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce WESLEY L. JIMISON as a candidate for Constable, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

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